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251 S. 3 West St.

Vernal, Utah

August 23, 1964

Hon. Wayne D. Criddle Utah State Engineer State Capitol Building Salt Lake City, Utah

Dear Sir:

In re: Matt Warner Reservoir release of 124 acre feet of water

Your Pot Creek distribution for 1964 shows that on May 2, 1964 the Matt Warner Reservoir had 210 acre feet of water in it. This included the big runoff of May 2 of 52 acre feet. The reservoir gauge reading was taken at 2 p.m. before most of this runoff, thus making a minimum of 40 acrefeet that should be credited to the Matt Warner Reservoir users.

We have discussed this with Mr. Norseth. A credit of 40 acre feet would save 60,000 trout, valued at \$8,000, and provide stock watering for 20,000 sheep and 500 cattle this fall.

It seems incredible that Matt Warner Reservoir Users should have to their credit less than 100 acre feet when Pot Creek produced about 1200 acre feet this year.

We trust that you will modify your release.

Respectfully yours,

Matt Warner Reservoir Water Users

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